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DETAILED ACTION

1. The reply filed on 7 July 2005 is not fully responsive to the prior Office Action because of the following omission(s) or matter(s): Applicant stated that claims 62, 65-69 and 76-83 read on the elected species. However, applicant has canceled claims 77-83. Applicant further indicated that claims 62, 65, 67 and 76 read on the elected sub-species is acknowledged. However, the proper status identifier for the non-elected species/claims (claims 63-64, 66, 68-69) are lacking, the proper status identifiers for these claims (claims 63-64, 66 and 68-69) should label as “withdrawn” See 37 CFR 1.111. Since the above-mentioned reply appears to be *bona fide*, applicant is given **ONE (1) MONTH or THIRTY (30) DAYS** from the mailing date of this notice, whichever is longer, within which to supply the omission or correction in order to avoid abandonment. EXTENSIONS OF THIS TIME PERIOD MAY BE GRANTED UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a).

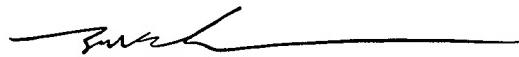
Conclusion

Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Jack Chen whose telephone number is (571)272-1689. The examiner can normally be reached on Monday-Friday (9:00am-6:30pm) alternate Monday off.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner’s supervisor, Carl W. Whitehead can be reached on (571)272-1702. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 571-273-8300.

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